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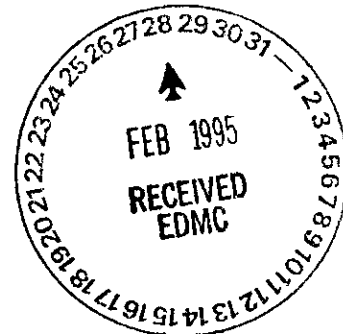
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Dear Messrs. Alexander and Sherwood:

VALIDATED DATA FOR THE 100-HR-3 OPERABLE UNIT LIMITED FIELD INVESTIGATION**References:**

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Enclosed for your information is the 100-HR-3 seventh round data validation report. *40091*

A minimum of ten percent of the samples were validated from the seventh round of groundwater samples. This meets the ten percent validation requirement as specified in the work plan. The data is validated by a review of laboratory performance and implementation of appropriate procedures. Also enclosed is a 100-HR-3 map of well locations.

Messrs. Alexander and Sherwood

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The references cited may be useful in your review of this report.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. K. M. Thompson on 373-0750.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures:

1. 100-HR-3 Validation Report
2. Map of 100-HR-3 well locations

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